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S/S-15	Following for your information is impromptu interview with Mr. Gromyko with various correspondents upon his arrival at Spaso House for luncheon January 22.		
	BEGIN TEXT		
	Q: Mr. Gromyko, we have gotten Secretary Kissinger's report; we would be grateful if we could get the Soviet report about how your negotiations are going.		
	A: Why I have nothing to say to you on this subject, really.		
	Q: Why is that, sir?		
	A: The most important thing at this time is to go to lunch. Negotiations will be continued.		
	Q: Do you think Mr. Gromyko, that these negotiations between the Russians and Americans will produce an agreement in		
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principle:

A: We, the Soviet side, would like to see an agreement, prepared, polished and signed.

Q: Do you think it will happen, sir?

A: We hope.

Thank you verymuch. END TEXT

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